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SELECTED BOOKS Agricultural Economics

Collins, H. H. AMERICA'S OWN REFUGEES. Princeton Univ. Press, 1941. 283 C69
"Although war hysteria and the temporary boom of war industry may dull the mind to the ever-present problem of the migrant, the author warns that here is a situation that will greatly increase the number of jobless wanderers when normal times come again."

McWilliams, Carey. ILL FARES THE LAND. Little, Brown, 1942. 283 M252I

"This is a book about our agricultural revolution, a specific American problem, loaded with danger, which must be solved just as surely as we must solve our world problems."

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Cooper, A. M. HOW TO CONDUCT CONFERENCES. McGraw-Hill, 1942. 145.2 C78

"The subject of conference leadership is made available to the reader in the form best calculated to help him in mastering the rather new art of directing group discussion to a useful conclusion."

Coyle, D. C. RURAL YOUTH IN ACTION. American Council on Education, 1942.
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"This booklet tells about some of the activities which young people have undertaken, and is presented with the hope that many rural youth and their leaders will be encouraged to action in order to improve some of the situations facing them."

Judson, L. S., and Judson, Ellen. MODERN GROUP DISCUSSION, PUBLIC AND PRIVATE.
H. W. Wilson, 1937. 145 J92

"How group discussion may be organized and conducted and how participation may be stimulated and results evaluated. The different types of discussion meetings are briefly treated for the practical use of discussion leaders."

Withers, G. V. EFFECTIVE RURAL SOCIAL WORK THROUGH COMMUNITY ORGANIZATION.
Amer. Public Welfare Assn., 1942. 281.2 W77

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Alanne, V. S. FUNDAMENTALS OF CONSUMER COOPERATION. Cooperative Pub. Assn.,
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"Written to serve the needs of cooperatives...most of the material published herein had accumulated, largely as lecture notes, at the six sessions of the Cooperative Training School of the Northern States Cooperative League."

Chase, Stuart. THE STORY OF TOAD LANE. Cooperative League, 1941. 280.2 C38

"The story of Toad Lane is an invitation to cooperation. It is a realistic story from the lives of practical men." (a booklet).

Coady, M. M. MASTERS OF THEIR OWN DESTINY. Harper, 1939. 280.2 C63

"This book tells about an effort to educate the people by assisting them to become masters of their own economic destiny. It records the development of the program of adult education and economic cooperation sponsored by St. Francis Xavier University, Nova Scotia."

Cowling, Ellis. A SHORT INTRODUCTION TO CONSUMERS' CO-OPERATION. Cooperative League, 1942. 280.2 C832

"This booklet is an introductory outline written to stimulate a deeper interest in the subject and to lead to a further study and investigation of Consumers' Cooperation as the way out for America."

Stewart, Maxwell. COOPERATIVES IN THE U. S.--A BALANCE SHEET. Public Affairs Committee, Inc., 1939. 280.9 P964

"This pamphlet was prepared on the basis of the Report of the Inquiry on Cooperative Enterprise in Europe, reports of the Farm Credit Administration, the United States Department of Labor, and other data. It deals largely with that part of the cooperative movement that is affiliated with the Cooperative League of the U. S. A."

Dairy and Livestock

Atkinson, V. T., and others. DISEASES OF CATTLE. Gov. Printing Office, 1942.

"This book supplies general information to cattle owners concerning diseases or ailments of their animal."

Buechel, F. A. GRAPHIC AND STATISTICAL SUMMARY OF THE DAIRY INDUSTRY WITH SPECIAL REFERENCE TO TEXAS. Bureau of Business Research, Univ. of Texas, 1942. 281.344 B86C

"This report is composed of three parts--general quantitative facts concerning the dairy industry in international trade, the dairy industry in the country as whole and certain geological divisions thereof, and the dairy manufacturing industry in Texas."

Farm Machinery

Stone, A. A. FARM MACHINERY. Wiley, 1942. (3rd ed.) 58 St7

"In this text a few typical machines have been selected from the large number available. These few are treated in considerable mechanical detail, with emphasis on their operation, adjustment, and repair."

Farm Management

Hunt, R. L. FARM MANAGEMENT IN THE SOUTH. Interstate, 1942. 281.002 H91

"It is hoped that the contents of this book will tend to focus more thinking on the existing Southern problems and will serve as a tool to fashion a more efficient and profitable agriculture for the farmers of the South."

Food and Nutrition

American Academy of Political and Social Science. NUTRITION AND FOOD SUPPLY:

THE WAR AND AFTER. 1943. 280.9 Am34

"A series of articles on a prominent problem constituting important reference works on the topics with which they deal."

Borsok, Henry. VITAMINS-WHAT THEY ARE AND HOW THEY CAN BENEFIT YOU. Viking, 1940. 389.1 B644

"The author tells you what people ate before the science of modern dietetics was discovered, explains the function of each of the several known vitamins, shows where these vitamins occur in nature, and how they may be obtained in ordinary food."

Fowler, B. B. FOOD: A WEAPON FOR VICTORY. Little, Brown, 1942. 280 F82

"This is a challenge to the courage and vision of the United Nations to put food into the fight by planning now for the tremendous task of famine relief which will face them on the day of victory."

Maxwell, R. K. FOOD PRESERVATION GUIDE. Bunting, 1942. 389.3 M452

"A valuable reference book for all interested in conserving and preserving food. Easy to follow instructions and 485 recipes for the canning, drying, and storing of meats, fruits, and vegetables."

Pattee, Elizabeth. VITAMINS AND MINERALS FOR EVERYONE. 389.1 P272V

"This book is written and arranged for both the profession and laity for quick reference as to the latest findings on vitamins and minerals."

Forestry

Baldwin, H. E. FOREST TREE SEED. Chronica Botanica Co., 1942. 61 B192

"An impressive publication marked by great thoroughness, care, and scholarship...The task has rather been one of selection of materials to include and discard, in an attempt to bring together some of the widely scattered knowledge on tree seed."

Wilde, S. A. FOREST SOILS; ORIGIN, PROPERTIES, RELATION TO VEGETATION AND SILVICULTURE MANAGEMENT. Kramer Business Service, Inc., 1942. 56.3 W64

"All foresters will want to read this book. Soils men in general will want access to it because it contains such an extensive review of literature dealing with forest soils."

Gardening

Peairs, L. M. INSECT PESTS OF FARM, GARDEN, AND ORCHARD. John Wiley and Sons., 1941. 423 Sa51

"Written to better serve the needs of its users. Designed to bring forth new investigations and facts in the biology of insects and insect control."

Watts, R. L., and Watts, G. S. THE VEGETABLE GROWING BUSINESS. Orange Judd, 1942. 91 W34Vg

"The treatise devotes equal attention to principles and practice, to the science and to the art of growing and marketing vegetables. Special effort has been made to place adequate emphasis on the importance of the economic and the executive or managerial phases of the business for successful and profitable operation under highly competitive conditions."

Work, Paul. THE TOMATO. Orange Judd, 1942. 91.58 W89T

"The task of this book is to offer between two covers a summary of what seem

the most significant facts and opinions about the third most important vegetable crop in the United States."

Genetics

Demeree, M., and others. CYTOLOGY, GENETICS, AND EVOLUTION. Univ. of Pennsylvania Press, 1942. 443 P3822

"A collection of papers by twelve of the most eminent biologists of the country. The topics covered concern a variety of approaches, techniques, and problems but all referring to the elements of the cell, their properties, and behavior."

Haldane, J. B. S. NEW PATHS IN GENETICS. Harper, 1942. 443 H123

"This book is based on a series of lectures given in the University of Groningen, Holland, in March 1940. It was written to show the relation of genetics to other sciences and some lines of advancement."

Home Management Supervision

Bernard, Jessie. AMERICAN FAMILY BEHAVIOR. Harper, 1942. 324 B45

"An unusual combination of critical appraisal against verifiable frames of reference, and an appreciation of basic social values."

Mobley, D. C. MORE LIVABLE HOMES. D. C. Mobley, 1940. 318 M71

"A portfolio of practical ways to improve home surroundings at moderate cost."

Tead, Ordway. THE ART OF LEADERSHIP. Whittlesay House, 1935. 249.3 T222A

"Analyzes the nature of leadership and goes into detail to show what qualities leaders have to give evidence of and how they can give those qualities practical effect in hour-by-hour dealings with other people."

Horticulture

Kains, M. G., and McQuestion, L. M. PROPAGATION OF PLANTS. Orange Judd, 1942.

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"A complete guide for professional and amateur growers of plants by seeds, layers, grafting, and budding, with chapters on nursery and greenhouse management."

Latin America

Millen, Nina. PLAYING THE GAMES FROM LATIN AMERICA. Friendship Press, 1942.

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"A compilation of games from Latin American countries. Some games include a number of songs the music for which is given when possible."

Wright, Rose. FUN AND FESTIVAL FROM THE OTHER AMERICAS. Friendship Press, 1942.

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"An unusually good pamphlet for material on Latin American recreation. It is ideally suited for use by the director of festivals and playground groups."

Writers' Program of New Mexico. THE SPANISH-AMERICAN SONG AND GAME BOOK. A. S.

Barnes, 1942. 280.6 W932

"A collection of songs and games compiled by workers of the writers' program, music program, and art program of the work projects administration in the State of New Mexico. It will be of primary importance in promoting the 'Good Neighbor' policy."

Marketing

Agnew, H. D., and Houghton, D. MARKETING POLICIES. McGraw-Hill, 1941. 280.3 Ag6
"This book literally starts about where most books on the general subject of marketing leave off. It deals with values rather than elementary processes. It is an approach to the study of marketing from the qualitative, rather than the quantitative, angle."

Sherman, W. A. MERCHANDISING FRUITS AND VEGETABLES, A NEW BILLION DOLLAR INDUSTRY. McGraw-Hill, 1928. 280.3 Sh5

"The writer has attempted to make this book a distinctly new contribution to the literature of marketing. It attempts to outline the history of a great, modern industry and to sketch its progress as it has been seen at close range."

Thompson, S. K. ECONOMIC TRENDS IN LIVESTOCK MARKETING. Swift, John F., 1940. 280.340 T37

"This work is essentially a source book of information. Through out objective description has been attempted."

Vaughan, F. L. MARKETING: FUNCTIONS, MEDIUMS, PRACTICES, VARIATIONS, AND APPRAISAL. Farrar, 1942. 280.3 V46M

"In this textbook the author has emphasized principles rather than technique, proceeding primarily from an academic rather than an acquisitive point of view."

Plant Genetics

Hayes, H. K., and Immer, F. R. METHODS IN PLANT BREEDING. McGraw-Hill, 1942.

"An attractive presentation of the problems involved in plant breeding and of the methods employed in their solution."

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